MCATS
Marine Corps Action Tracking Syst

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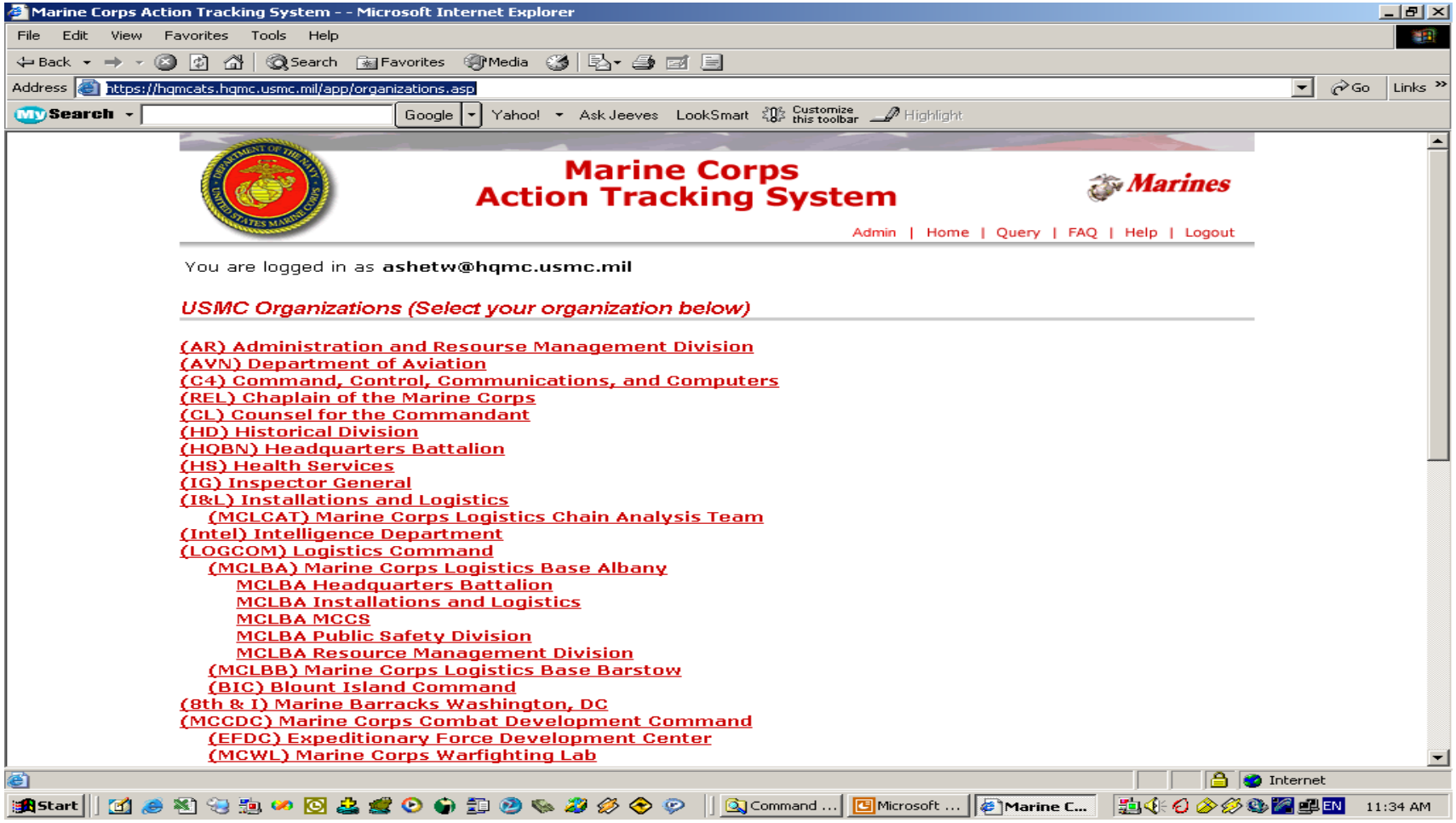
MCATS Version I

- **Developed by IBM**
- **Fielded in Feb of 2003**
- **https://hqmcats.hqmc.usmc.mil/app**
- **Transitional tool**
- **Developed with focus on the DMCS**
- **100% of HQMC Agencies use MCATS**

MCATS User Base

- **https://hqmcats.hqmc.usmc.mil/app/organizations.asp**
- **FAQ… How should a tasker or Doc Route flow through my section?**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USMC Organizations (Select your organization below)
(AR) Administration and Resourse Management Division
(AVN) Department of Aviation
(C4) Command, Control, Communications, and Computers
(REL) Chaplain of the Marine Corps
(CL) Counsel for the Commandant
(HD) Historical Division
(HQBN) Headquarters Battalion
(HS) Health Services
(IG) Inspector General
(I&L) Installations and Logistics
(MCLCAT) Marine Corps Logistics Chain Analysis Team
(Intel) Intelligence Department
(LOGCOM) Logistics Command
(MCLBA) Marine Corps Logistics Base Albany
MCLBA Headquarters Battalion
MCLBA Installations and Logistics
MCLBA MCCS
MCLBA Public Safety Division
MCLBA Resource Management Division
(MCLBB) Marine Corps Logistics Base Barstow
(BIC) Blount Island Command
(8th & I) Marine Barracks Washington, DC
(MCCDC) Marine Corps Combat Development Command
(EFDC) Expeditionary Force Development Center
(MCWL) Marine Corps Warfighting Lab
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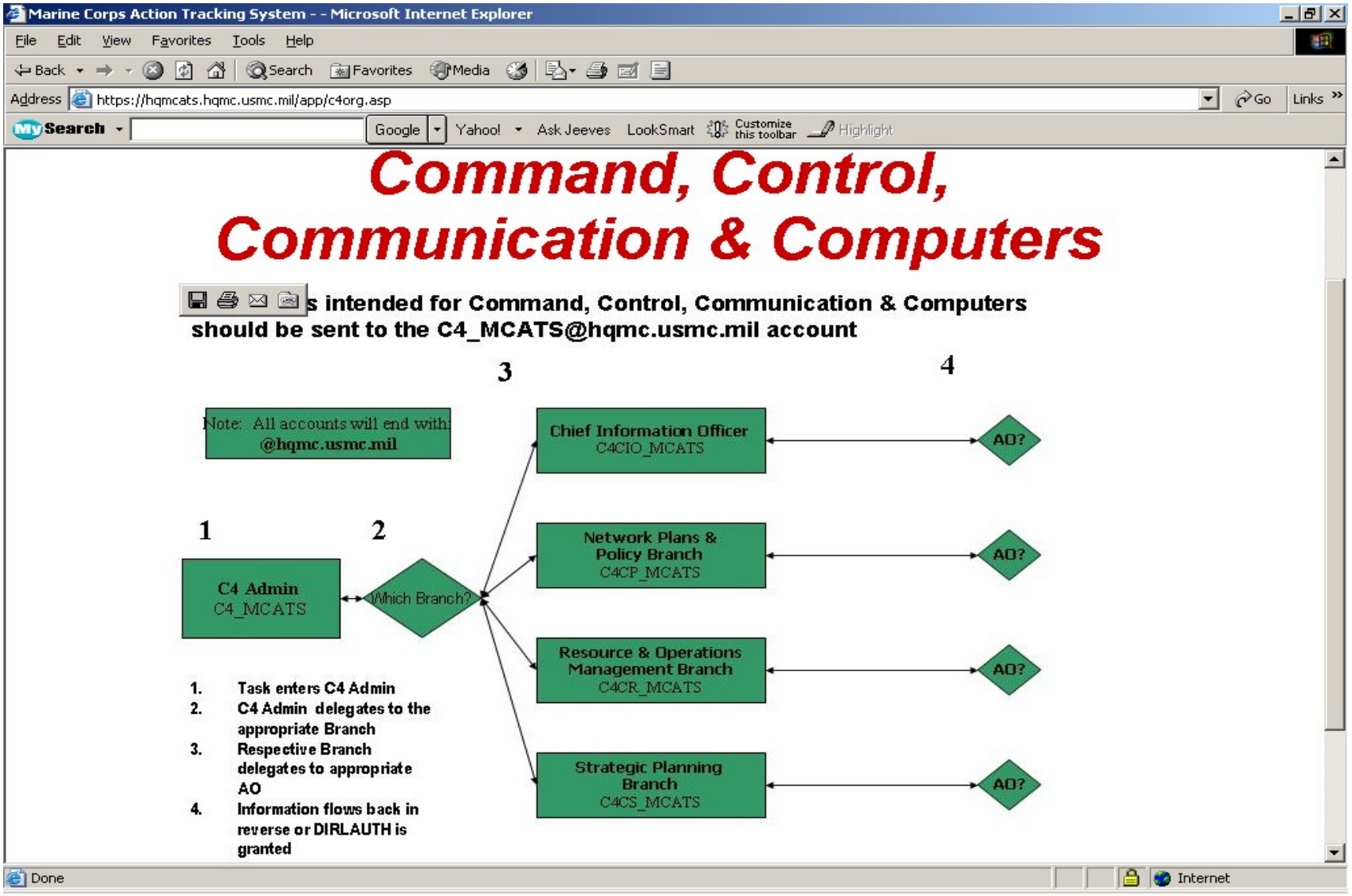
MCATS User Base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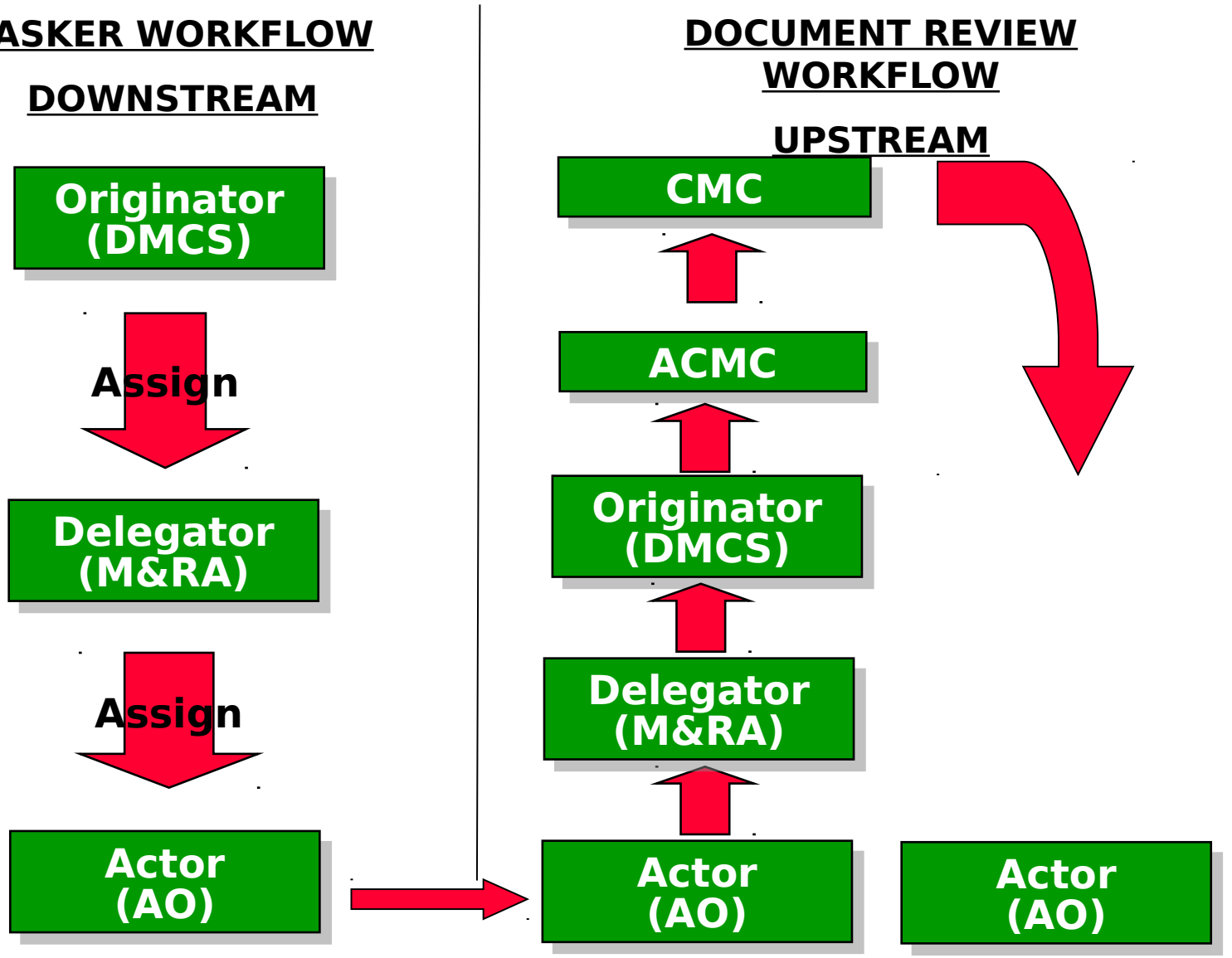
Note: All accounts will end with: @hqmc.usmc.mil
Chief Information Officer C4CIO_MCATS
AO?
1
2
C4 Admin C4_MCATS
Which Branch?
Network Plans & Policy Branch C4CP_MCATS
AO?
Resource & Operations Management Branch C4CR_MCATS
AO?
Strategic Planning Branch C4CS_MCATS
AO?
1. Task enters C4 Admin
2. C4 Admin delegates to the appropriate Branch
3. Respective Branch delegates to appropriate AO
4. Information flows back in reverse or DIRLAUTH is granted
Done
Internet

MCATS Workflow



MCATS Version II

- **https://158.240.230.213 (Development)**
- **https://hqmcats.hqmc.usmc.mil**
- **QA Testing**
- **Release Date Mid-late October**
- **MCATS Version II Enhancements**

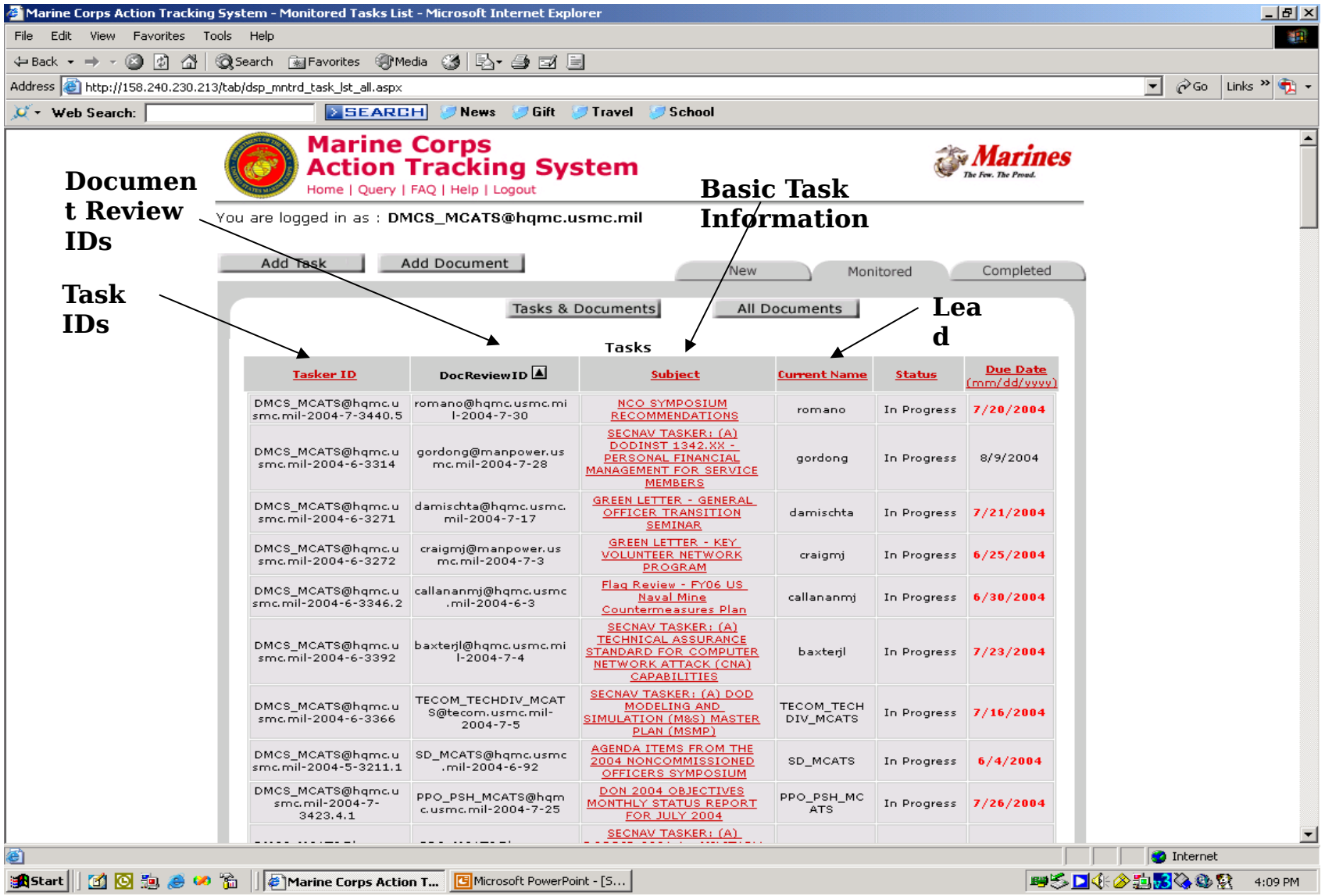
MCATS Version II Enhancements

- **Extremely faster response times (new, monitored, and completed views and query page)**
- **Added fields on the task view (Purpose field)**
- **Added tabs for attaching documents**
- **Action Code selection list made easier for both tasks and document reviews (Leads/Notification Chain)**
- **System modified to accommodate two due dates, Original due date and Extension date**

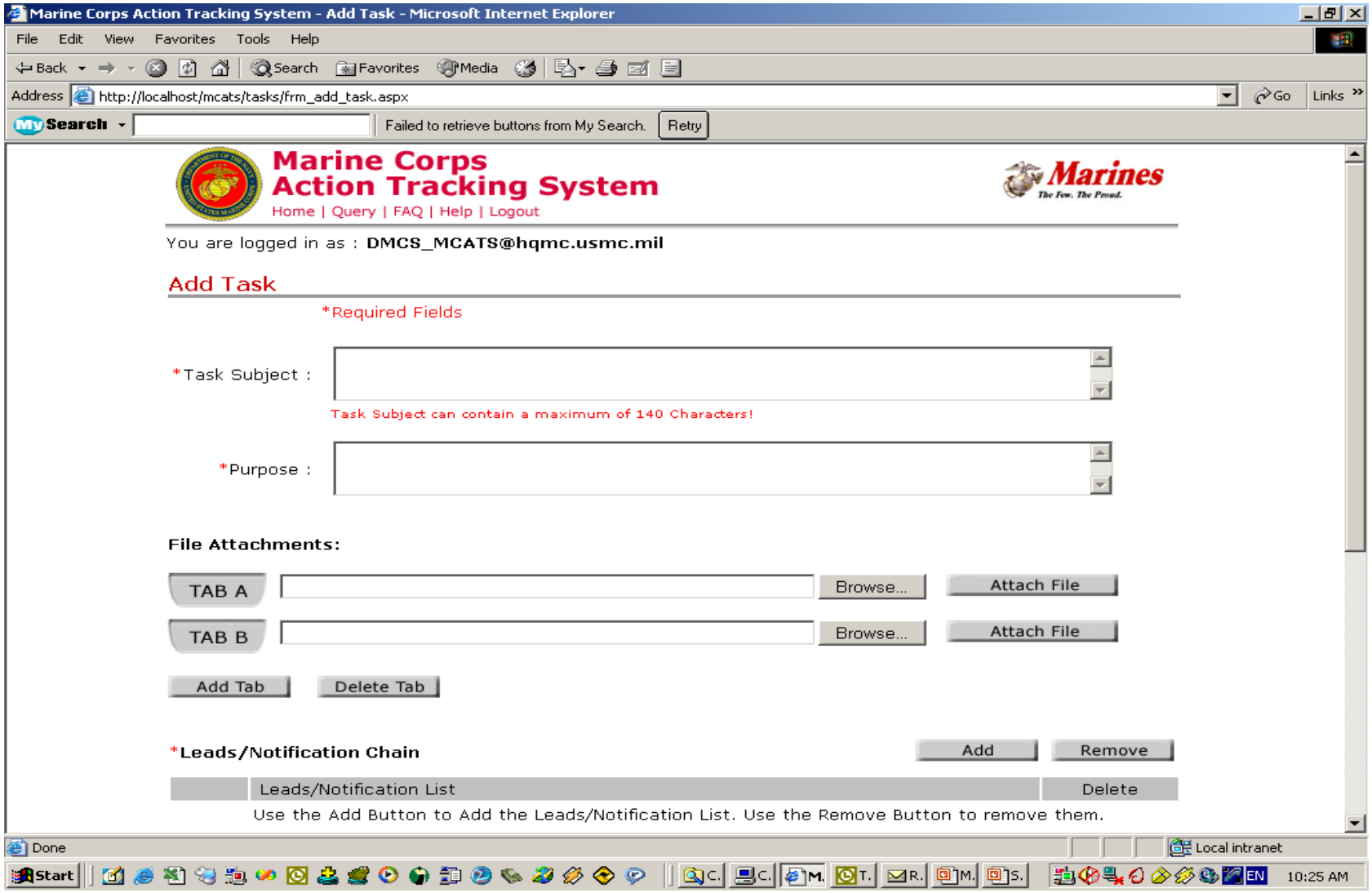
MCATS Version II Enhancements

- **Added fields on the document view (Background, Discussion, Recommendation fields)**
- **Redesigned Chop Chain Look & Feel (Route Sheet)**
- **Ability to add comments multiple times with timestamps**
- **Chop Chain Review (CCR) will automatically forward back to the Action Officer.**
- **Printer friendly buttons (Allows all contents to be printed on page)**

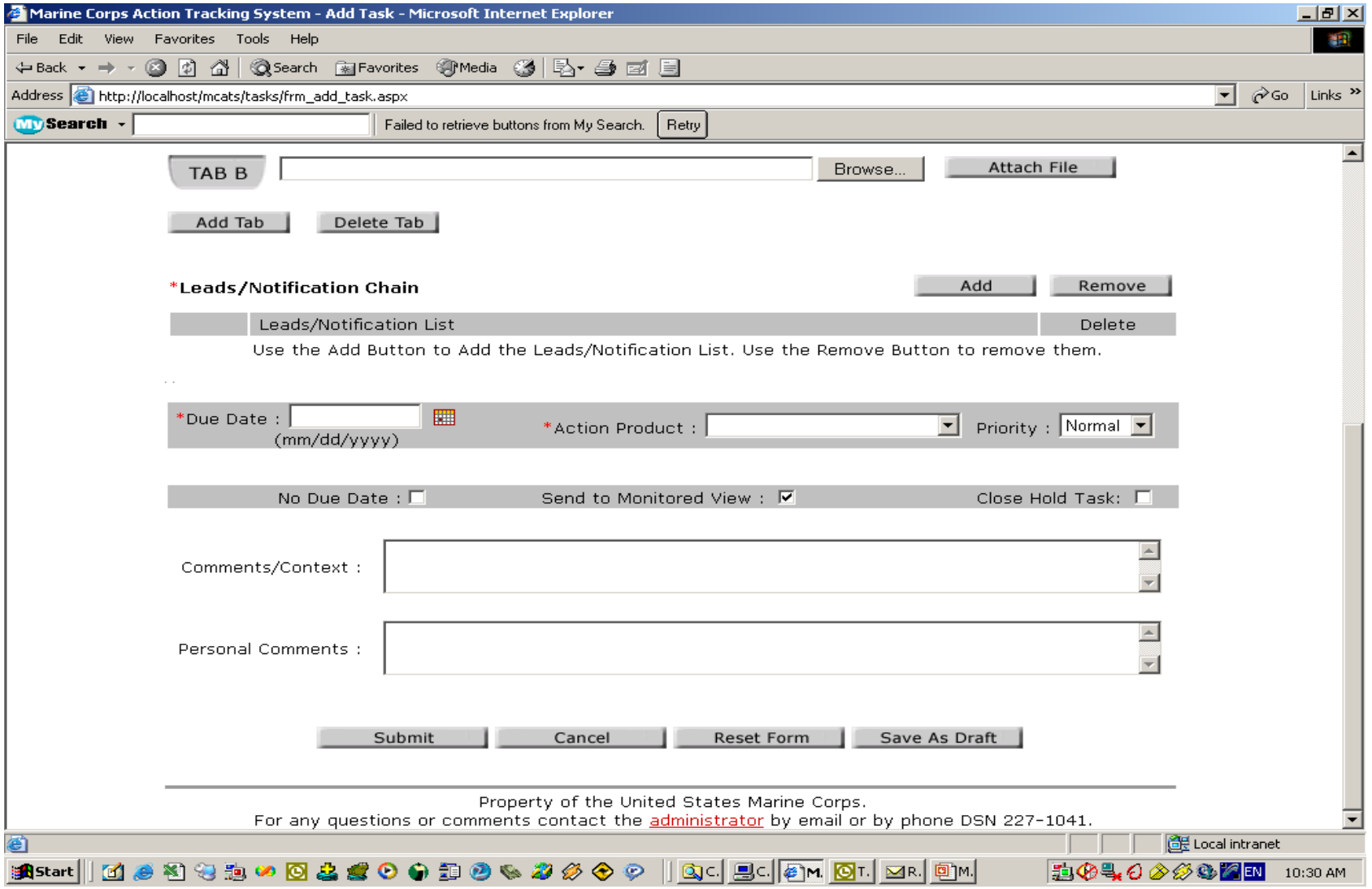
Extremely faster response times (new, monitored, and completed views and query page)



Task View – Top Half
Added fields on the task view (Purpose field, Tabs for adding attachments)



Task View – Bottom Half
Action Code list (Leads/Notification Chain)



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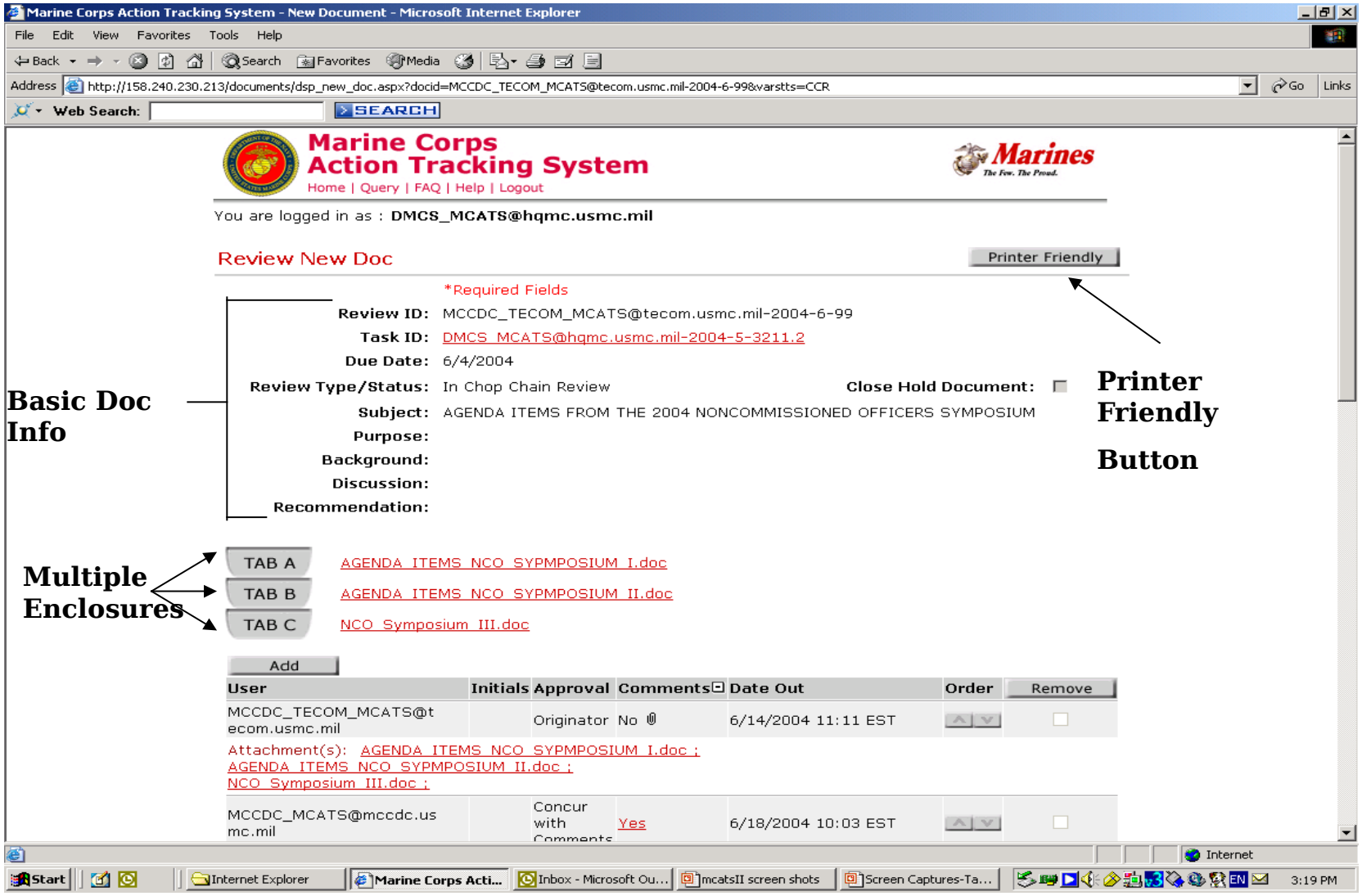
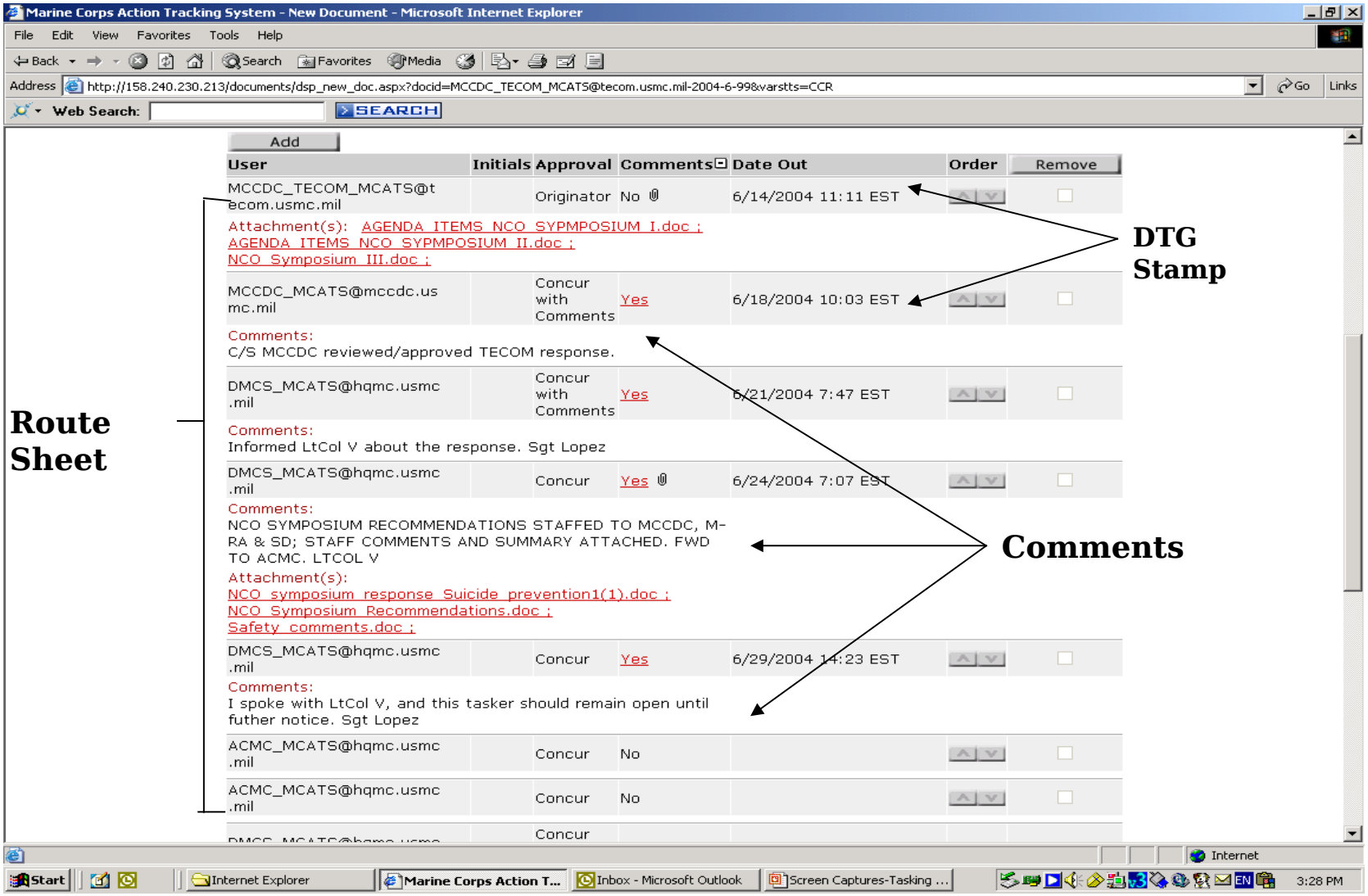


Document View – Bottom Half Redesigned Chop Chain Look & Feel (Route Sheet)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MCCDC_MCATS@mccdc.usmc.mil | Concur with Comments | Yes | 6/18/2004 10:03 EST
Comments: C/S MCCDC reviewed/approved TECOM response.
DMCS_MCATS@hqmc.usmc.mil | Concur with Comments | Yes | 6/21/2004 7:47 EST
Comments: Informed LtCol V about the response. Sgt Lopez
DMCS_MCATS@hqmc.usmc.mil | Concur | Yes | 6/24/2004 7:07 EST
Comments: NCO SYMPOSIUM RECOMMENDATIONS STAFFED TO MCCDC, M-RA & SD; STAFF COMMENTS AND SUMMARY ATTACHED. FWD TO ACMC. LTCOL V
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Screen Captures-Tasking ...
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Route Sheet

DTG Stamp

Comments

Future

- **Vision: Totally Paperless Workflow**
- **Digital Signatures**
- **Incorporating user feedback**
- **JAD sessions**
- **Application Enhancements**
- **MCEITS migration**
- **Commandant’s portal Integration**
- **Enterprise Solution / Deployment**
- **Access from the public domain (.com)**
- **Training**

Challenges

NMCI

- **Domain / Email address migration**

Help desk Support

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Questions?